THE PUTNEY COLUMN

H. L. Pierce visited in Newport and other places last week. Mrs. F. O. Pierce was ill the first of the

week, but she is improving. John Clark is recovering from a severe attack of sciatic rheumatism.

Fred Pember of the University of Vermont is spending his vacation at M. H. Edward A, Mansfield returned Wednes-day to Meriden, Conn., after visiting at H.

Miss Jessie Veazey of Windsor was a Mrs. Lydia Reed of Lake Pleasant is visuest at her uncle's, H. J. Smith's, the iting her brother, G. S. Howe.

last of last week. The meeting of the fire district Monday evening was sparsely attended and was

therefore adjourned two weeks. The Stowell Manufacturing company be-gan operating their factories Tuesday af-

ter taking the annual inventory. The game wardens notify sportsmen that the closed season on partridges is now on, and request them to act accord-

Fred Littlefield, who was critically ill with pneumonia last week, is better. At one time it was thought that he could not

A special meeting of the Baptist society was held Sunday after the morning ser-vice, when a new soliciting committee was

Carl Knight returned Monday to the Worcester Polytechnic institute. Herbert Huntley returned Tuesday to Goddard seminary, Barre.

Dorr Clough has 19 pullets, hatched May 20, that laid over 33 dozen of eggs before Jan. 1. They laid 331 eggs dur-ing the month of December. Mrs. Parker Shattuck of Bellows Falls,

who is over 80 years old, has recently made and presented to her niece, Mrs. M. G. Williams, a bed quilt containing over 6000 pieces.

The installation of officers of Col. W. H. Greenwood post, and Relief corps will be held next Tuesday evening. The com-mander requests every member of the post About 60 couples attended the New

Year's ball Monday evening. Music was furnished by a Brattleboro orchestra. Landlord Miller of the Kendrick House furnished an elegant supper

The meeting of the Mount Pleasant Cemetery association, which was called for Monday evening at the office of W. A. Cole, was postponed for two weeks on ac-count of the small number present. Putney people will be interested in the

notice in the marriage column in this paper of the marriage, in Boston Mouday, of Herbert E. Wheat, formerly proprietor of the 'eorner' store in this village. The Putney Magazine club held its an-

nual meeting last Friday night at the home of Mrs. F. D. Kendall. Miss E. M. Wal-kup was elected president and the selection of books for the coming year was made. The Washington despatches announce

that the pension of Elwin Headle of this town has been increased from \$6 a month to \$12 a month. Mr. Headle was a private in Company I, Fourth Vermont regiment. Frank Clair has leased the tenement in Frank H. Harris's house, recently occupied by A. A. Wing. Will Allen and family have moved into the Crawford house formerly occupied by Mrs. Charles

Woodard and family. Union services were held in the Methodist church Sunday evening, at the Con-gregational church Tuesday and Wednes-day evenings, at the Baptist church last evening, and another will be held at the

Baptist church tonight. coming year in Wawona.

C. L. Davenport, who recently went to Winchendon, Mass., spent the holidays in town, returning to Winchendon Tuesday. He has closed his barber shop over Miss Walkup's store permanently, and after April I he will open a barber shop in

F. L. Pierce fell from the top of a boiler which he was loading on to a car at the depot last week and was severely shaken He fell to the ground, but the force of the fall was broken by striking first upon the car. He has been out this week and is fast regaining his normal condition.

A number of the Baptist parishioners gave Rev. E. F. Mitchell a pleasant surprise Monday evening, although the number present was not as large as it would been had the day not been stormy. Substantial tokens of esteem were present ed to the pastor, in the way of money and

Rosenwall of New York, one of the largest tobacco buyers, and importers in the country, and Edward Everett of Deerfield, Mass., his buyers were in Putney last week and bought several crops of tobacco, including those of Henry Crawford, L. P. Bailey, Charles Brown, Oliver Wood, Geo. Townsend and Harding Bennett.

The Congregational society held its annual meeting in the vestry Tuesday afternoon. George T. Aplin was elected mod-erator and Mrs. Annie B. H. Harris clerk. The treasurer made no report, and the election of that officer was postponed. A prudential committee was elected, consisting of Dea. C. E. Prouty, Dea. F. L. Pierce and G. T. Aplin, and a soliciting committee consisting of Mrs. J. F. Wash-burn, Herbert Blood, Miss Florence Locke and Dea. C. E. Prouty. The meeting was then adjourned subject to the call of the committee. Another meeting will probably be held in about a month.

SOUTH VERNON.

Theodore Brown has undergone another operation on his knee. Much sympathy is tendered him.

Six inches of snow covered the ground Monday.

Remember the service on Sunday evening at hotel hall at 7:30.

R. S. Brown has gone to Burdett college, for the term beginning Jan 1. L. W. Brown has sold his matched pair of brown horses to A. A. Dunklee.

Theo. L. Brown is comfortable after the operation performed by Dr. Pierce.

Mrs. Rosie Dean of South Woodstock is visiting friends here and in Northfield. Guy Johnson and Marion Adams have

returned to Bernardston to their school. Professor Shipman and friends have returned to their homes in and near Boston. Willie and George Wheeler went to Athol to spend New Year's with their

father, Charles Wheeler. L. Hammond and his force of men and teams began work on the Tyler lot Tuesday. The mill is expected next week.

Installation of Vernon grange took place in A. Whithed's hall Thursday evening, and in State Line grange Wednesday even-

Many are suffering with severe colds. and Mrs. George Johnson and her sons, Ora and Charlie, are housed with the

Mr. and Mrs. Bartholomew Reding received news Tuesday of the death of their daughter Annie, who was in Boston for a

HINSDALE, N. H.

Miss Jennie L. Putney has been ill the G. M. Oaks has a new baker, George

Mrs. Cain of Brattleboro is the guest of Mrs. Eliza Fuller.

E. Abbott of Bradford, Vt., is at work for Burton Spencer. Mrs. S. K. Hildreth has recovered from

an attack of bronchitis, John Fisher and family are all to be unted among the sick of

Chautauqua will meet with Miss A. M. Barrows next Monday evening. Roys, W. H. Woodall and W. E. Ren-

shaw exchanged pulpits last Sunday. E. A. Weed of Brattleboro visited his prother, C. E. Weed, a few days recently. Mrs. Chas. Pearson has been laid up ith the prevailing distemper several days.

Mrs. Olive Martin of Keene was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Holton severdays last week. Mrs. Caroline B. Howe read at a New

lear's reception given by the Y. M. C. A. t Keene Monday evening. Mrs. Nelson Barrett, who is ill at her daughter's, Mrs. Fred Wilder's, at Millers

Falls, is improving very slowly. The Methodist people held an old time watch meeting at the church Sunday even-ng, seeing the old year out and the New

Warren H. Hall will do the wood work on the field and lawn mowers manufact-ured at Newhall & Stebbins's machine shop

A report is current that a company of fenians has been formed and is being drilled by one of the Spanish-American reterans.

M. Tole has moved his family here from Ludlow, Vt., and they are occupying a tenement in the Fisk block back of the

Rev. W. E. Renshaw went to Gilsum Friday to attend the annual roll call of the ongregational church, of whom he was ormerly pastor.

Miss Carrie J. Stearns and the Misses .ynde returned to Boston Tuesday to re-ume their studies. B F. Adams returned o the Boston law school Thursday.

There are at present 190 employes at work in the Haile & Frost mills, which is about two-thirds the number employed when the mill is running its full capacity Mrs. M. C. Dix and Mrs. E. J. Temple ustalled the officers of Fort Dummer Colony of Pilgrim Fathers at Brattleboro Tuesday evening, and of Monathock Col-ony at Holyoke Thursday evening.

On account of "the Park Sisters" being at the town hall Wednesday evening th regular meeting of Wantastiquet grange was postponed until Monday evening, Jan. , at which time candidates will be initiated. The Baptist society met last week Thursday evening, and chose Rev. W. H. Wood-all president; Miss Lizzie Sargeant secretary and treasurer, and Aaron Jewell, Miss L. S. Sargernt and Burton Spencer, di-

The Congregational ladies' society held their annual meeting Wednesday and elected Mrs. A. A. Bailey, president; Miss Jennie L. Putney, vice president; Miss Emma Wellman, secretary: Miss Cora Wellman,

The officers chosen by the Methodist Sunday school are: Miss Julia Streeter, super-intendent; E. C. Bartlett, assistant superintendent; Mrs. H. Dickerman, secretary; H. C. Spaulding, treasurer; Miss Lulu Moore, librarian.

Miss Carrie B. Howe entertained a party

The ferry boat connecting Hinsdale and Vernon has run much later than usual this year. Passengers were conveyed across river up to last Thursday evening, when the boat was taken out of the river,

and stalled for the winter. The schools began Tuesday with the same teachers as last term with the excep-tion that Miss Eva Stratton has the school in Keyou block, formerly taught by Miss Upham, and Miss Pearl Higgins succeeds Miss Stratton on Chestnut Hill.

Miss Myra N. Durand of Marlboro, Mass., who is well recommended, will come to Hinsdale once a week and give lessons in stenography, if a class of five can be formed. Any one interested may obtain particulars from Miss Ethel Jewell.

About everyone seems glad to see the now, but the scarcity of fall rains has left 'Upper Canada" stranded high and dry, the water supply having failed, and about 15 families are compelled to bring all water used, and some from a long distance.

The Congregational Sunday school elected officers last Sunday as follows: M. S. Leach, superintendent; J. Arthur Pearson, assistant superintendent; Miss Cora Wellman, secretary and treasurer; Mrs. M. C. Dix, librarian; Mr. Young, chorister. The annual roll call and business meet-

ing of the Universalist church was held Monday evening and choice was made of the following officers: Moderator, W. J. Leonard; clerk, Geo. P. Slate; trustees, John Smith, D. W. Stearns and G. P. The Hinsdale savings bank began pay

ing a dividend of 8 per cent Monday.
This will make 68 per cent paid the depositors, and it is likely that the organization will have ceased to exist and the Hinsdale Savings bank be a thing of the past by The week of prayer will be observed by holding union services, beginning next Mon-day. The first meeting will be held in the

Baptist church. The meetings will be conducted by the local pastors, the churches alternating in opening their doors for the The officers of Squakheag tribe, No. 27,

In olineers of Squakness trice, No. 21, 1, O. R. M., for the coming term will be: John J. Carroll, prophet; J. Percy Felch, sachem; O. C. Robertson, senior sagamore; Maurice Powers, junior sagamore; C. A. Fletcher, chief of records; W. M. Hall, collector of wampum; Mahlon C. Dix, keeper of wampum. The chiefs will be acted over Treadly avaning Lee raised next Tuesday evening, Jan. 9.

Fred A. Wells of Nashua and Miss Julia L. Davis of Chesterfield, who were mar-ried at Brattleboro Christmas morning by Rev. R. K. Marvin, are both well known here, having been teachers of the Gram-mar school for several terms. Mr. Wells is a teacher in Nashua and they will make their home at 12 Hanover street in that

William Smith, who died in the south part of Winchester recently, was a tin peddler familiarly known as "Bill Rashe." He was an eccentric but kindly man, a live Yankee, and his cart was a familiar object in many back yards in the 80's. The housewives all liked "Bill Rashe," saved their papers and rags for him and enjoyed his cheery jokes and invariable good hu-mor. He belonged to a class that is grad-ually fading out of New England rural

A joint installation was held by Sheri-

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President Lizzie L. Bailey performed the ame service for the corps. A fine colla-ion was served by Sheridan post, after which an enjoyable social hour was spent. At a late hour the company dispers The ladies, who were the guests, bid the conrades a merry good-night, and left them, to all appearances, enjoying the task of washing dishes and putting to rights as heartily as they had the exercises of the early part of the evening. A pleasant feature was a drill by the Spanish-Ameri-

an war veterans who were present The ball given by Queen Esther Rebekah lodge at the town hall Friday evening proved to be a very pleasant occasion. excellent concert was given by Beedle's orchestra of Keene, after which about 85 couples participated in the dance. A fine oyster and cold meat supper was served at Odd Fellows' banquet hall, nearly 100 patronizing the tables. The grand march was led by Harry Smith and Miss Belle Murphy; second couple, Mr. Scott of Winchester and Miss Lucy Smith. Fifteen dollars was cleared above all expenses. The Rebekahs are congratulating themselves that in this, their first effort of the kind, besides securing a good time, they have added some thing to the treasury.

J. F. Washburn is planning to leave
Putney the last of March to spend the
summer with his brother in Wawona,
Calif. Miss Sara Washburn, who has been
in Yosemite the past year, will spend the pass-d here, his home being the one occu-pied by his father before him, at North Hinsdale. He was one of a family of 13 children, three only of whom survive, Charles H. of Athol and George W. of Fitchburg and Mrs. Dennison of Springfield, the latter | e ng very ill at the present. A brother, Pitts Tyler, of Athol, died only a few days ago. Mrs. Frank Stearns of this town, who died in 1898, was a sister. Mr. Tyler married on May 28, 1887, Miss Clara Smith of this town, who with a son about 12 years of age, survives him. He was, for his time, a well educated man, was a great reader and kept himself well informed on all current topics. He was a musi-cian of considerable ability and was formerly leader of a mixed quartet, which was in much demand for social functions. He is very highly spoken of by his neigh-bors and will be missed by them as well as by the widow and son, who have the sympathy of all in their bereavement.

The annual roll call of the Congregation al church was held at the vestry Monday evening. A social and supper occupied the time from 5 to 7 o'clock, after which the company was called to order by Rev. W. E. Renshaw, the pastor, and the business meeting was holden. A total membership of 137 was reported, 34 of whom are nonresidents. At the roll call 50 members responded personally and 24 by message The amount donated for benevolences during the year was \$120.89. The following committees were appointed: Church committee, M. S. Leach, Mrs. W. E. Renshaw, G. A. Robertson, Mrs. M. S. Leach, Mrs. F. H. Fuller and William Watson, to act in conjunction with the pastor and deacons; visiting committee, Mrs. Newton Stearns. Mrs. F. H. Fuller and Mrs. M. C. Dix; committee on benevolences, Rev. W. E. Renshaw, M. S. Leach, G. A. Robertson and S. K. Hildreth; on revision of roll, Mrs. S. K. Hildreth, C. E. Savage and Miss Jennie Putney; clerk and treasurer, Miss Emma Wellman; auditor, G. A. Robertson. Re-ports were heard from the various departnents of church work, all of which are in a prosperous condition.

At the regular meeting of Unity lodge, I. O. O. F., L. A. Smith, D. D. G. M., in-stalled the following officers for the current term: F. C. Kempton, N. G.; G. M. Oaks, V. G.; G. E. Robertson, secretary; S. K. Hildreth, tressurer; C. A. Boyce, warden; C. H. Pearson, conductor; L. A. Smith, R. S. N. G.; H. M. Britton, L. S. N. G.; James Britton, R. S. V. G.; C. B. Hall, L. S. V. G.; S. C. Smith, O. G.; J. J. Carroll, I. G.; D. W. Hosford, R. S. S.; P. Quigley, L. S. S.; G. S. Howe, chaplain. After the work of the evening was performed, all repaired to the dining room, where two roast pigs with all the accompaniments to a first-class banquet awaited them. Just as all were seated at the tables, a large delegation of ladies from Queen Esther Rebekah lodge made their appearance on the scene. surprise, but the gentlemen were equal to the occasion, and made the ladies welcome, and no doubt enjoyed their banquet with greater zest for their presence. Although this was an unexpected addition to their ompany there was plenty in the larder, and when all appetites were satisfied, if not 'twelve baskets full," there was ample supply for a goodiy company left. The ladies were royally entertained, and all voted it a "jolly good time,"

(Other Hinsdale items on 10th page)

dan post, No. 14, G. A. R., and Sheridan corps, No. 32, W. R. C., on Tuesday evening, Past Commander L. F. Liscom installed the officers elect for the post, and Past

NORTHFIELD, MASS.

Vital statistics of Northfield for the year

Vital statistics of Northfield for the year ending Jan. 1, 1900: Number of births, 30; marriages, 14; deaths, 32. Deaths: Marie A. Minott, 69; Hannah C. Parker, 65; George H. Cutter, 63; Chas. W. Shep-ardson, 83; Annie Green, 29; James Mer-riam, 84; Geo. Severance, 79; Amanda M. Alexander, 85; Sara Aldrich, 61; Gad C. Lyman, 78; Elizabeth Campbell, 60; Carl S. Walker, five days: Capt. C. D. Merriman. Lyman, 78; Enizabeth Campbell, 60; Carl S. Walker, five days; Capt. C. D. Merriman, 66; Isaac Murdock, 74; K. Lizzie Hosmer, 51; Margaret Joyce, 81; Cyrus Miller, 77; Maurice Joyce, 77; Helen A. Merriam, 57; Andrew G. Hale, 71; Irene Moody, 4; Frank Whithed, 81; Andrew W. Welr, 79; Wm. Strange, 57; George B. Callender, 42; Jennie B. Aldrich, three months; Richard Banks, three months; John H. Morgan, 70; Martha Doolittle, 61; Esther Holton, 86; Almira M. Rice, 30; Dwight L. Moody, 62. Of the dead six were past the fourscore mark, while 22 had reached

Among the seriously sick at present are Miss A. P. Osgood and F. E. Stimpson at

Miss Annie Wells, formerly of this town, who has been teaching for several years in South Africa, has returned home because of poor health and is with her sis-ter, Mrs. Horace Humphreys, in Chicago. Mrs. A. M. D. Alexander has again

shown her public spirit by presenting to the public library pictures of the historic stones that she erected in 1897 to mark the historic spots in town. These pictures, five in number, are handsomely mounted and inclosed in one frame, which measures five feet by three feet and four

The Sons of Veterans publicly installed their officers at their hall on Tuesday evening, the installing officer coming from Greenfield. F. W. Doane was installed as captain. At the close of the exercises short speeches were made by Dr. R. C. Ward, F. E. Stockbridge, commander of the Grand Army, and others, after which the company adjourned to the dining hall, where an excellent collation was served by

CHESTERFIELD, N. H.

The lake is frozen over. Nathaniel Royce, an aged citizen, is ill. Miss Hattie Bell is visiting in Cam-Harian Fiske Stone and wife have re-

urned to New York. Mrs. Ella Goodrich is slowly improving from her recent illness.

Miss Adaline Starkey has returned to her school duties at Northfield. Butler & Colburn have started out with

their gasoline engine, sawing wood. Louis Dickerman has finished at the Pisk farm and gone to the Eagle Iun foundry to work.

Wm. Brown got one of his fingers in the gears of a mowing machine, severing one

Albert Robinson is married and has

taken his wife to live at his parents' home for the present. Edgar Pike has moved into his new home and Mr. and Mrs. George Waite have gone over the mountain, hoping to

find a place to live to their liking. Monday W. R. Lyman was elected president and secretary; E. J. Morse, Mrs. E. O. Lyman and Mrs. A. E. Waite, prudential committee; and Mrs. P. A. Perry,

WHITINGHAM.

Mrs. O. R. Chase returned from Readsoro Sunday. Frank Allbee and wife have returned to Williamstown.

Olive Upton visited her mother, Marytte Chase, one day last week. C. S. Chase is expected home from Bennington county court this week. It snowed and it blowed Tuesday-1

ough beginning for the new year. Leon Chase and Ethel Brigham were at . B. Chase's at Readsboro Tuesday. Mr. Johnson of Cambridge, N. Y., came Saturday to see his sister. Judy Robbins,

Rev. H. E. Buffum of Rowe and Addion White of Heath were in town Mon-Arthur Osborne and wife of North Adams were at Frank Jillson's the first of

the week. A number of our young people attended the New Year's dance at Readsboro Monday night.

Hal Wheeler and men and Edwin Wheeler have finished cutting pulp wood. The latter has gone to his Monroe Bridge wood lot.

Saturday was the coldest day of the seaon so far. The thermometer stood 4° be ow at T.C. Marsh's in the morning and at noon was only 2° above and at 2:30 o'clock had gone down to zero, and this on the south side of the house.

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Bright Fiction, Free.

The year 1930 opens brightly for The Sunday Magazine of The New York Sunday Press. The issue for Jan. 7 contains some of the best fiction that has been published recently. Moriey Robert's story, "The Pontiac Trees e," is a tale of striking workmen, and the scene is laid in the United States. Captain Kenealy has a story of a ship wrecked sailor and his sweetheart called "My Sconset Sweetheart," and Elits Parker Butler, a humorous sketch called "Lisha's Valentine." The serial, "Young Mrs. Monette," is nearing completion, and "A Legion of Honor," a peculiarly fascinating story, begun in the last number, is finished. No more interesting supplement is issued by any newspaper than The Sunday Magazine, which accompanies The New York Sunday Press each week.

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WILLIAMSVILLE.

Willie Sparks returned to Goddard semnary, Barre, Tuesday.

George Kidder and wife of Bellows Falls are visitors at F. B. Washer's. Mrs. Albert N. Sherman left Monday for a visit with friends in Boston and vicin-

Mrs. Clarence Lazelle is still very ill, alhough showing slight traces of improve-

Miss Nellie Dickinson returned Monday o Boston, where she expects to spend the

Mrs. Frank Fox and daughter of Spring-field, Mass., were recent visitors at S. W. Our ice houses are being filled this week with ice from 10 to 12 inches thick and of

excellent quality. A parish meeting at the Universalist church is called for Wednesday evening of next week at 7:30.

Mrs. F. H. Strong and Mrs. Nettle strong of Bellows Falls were recent visiters at E. C. Cota's. George and Florence Hescock, Mary Stratton and Florence Merrifield are re-

cent victims of the mumps. Miss Margaret Shipman of Tufts college, with her niece, and Miss Guild of Brattle-boro, visited Miss Bertha Dodge last week. C. K. Stedman, our road commissioner, wishes to have all bills for labor on the Newfane roads presented to him before

Miss Florence A. Morse returned Tues-day to Long Branch, N. J., to resume her duties as teacher in the High school in that city.

The Leisure Honr club will meet with Mrs. George Dickinson Saturday after-noon. The work in hand is a review of the work of the past three months, under the direction of Miss Florence Dickinson. Our water saw-mill men are unable to to much business on account of the very low water and the ice bound condition of

the streams. An early arrival of the January thaw would be appreciated by them. A dramatic entertainment will be given a dramatic entertainment will be given at village hall on Friday evening, Jan. 12, under the auspices of the ladies of the Universalist society, in which the leading feature will be the "Graduation of a class in Mrs. Wayback's Female Seminary."

Rev. and Mrs. D. A. Ball gave a recep-tion at their home Monday evening in honor of Miss Bertha Dodge, who returns to Tufts college this week. Refreshments of cake and cocos were served. Games and singing aided in making the occasion highly interesting to the 20 guests who were

The Young People's Christian union meeting at the Universalist church next Sunday evening will take the form of a onsecration service- At a meeting of the union last Sunday evening the following officers were chosen: President, Hastings A. Williams; vice president, Mrs. W. E. Wheeler; secretary and treasurer, Florence Dickinson; executive committee, Efflie Prouty, Luella Williams, Rev. D. A. Ball; lookout committee, Mrs. D. A. Ball, Dana

Stedman. Intelligence has been received here by the family of Samuel Morse that Albert G. Kendall, Mr. Morse's son-in-law of San Bernardino, Cal., was badly injured in a recent railroad accident at Pomona, Cal. Mr. Kendall, who is the county assesso for San Bernardino county, was returning from his duties to his home when the car At the church business meeting held in which he was riding was raised up, pre sumably in a collision, turned nearly end for end and thrown down an embankment a distance of 30 or 40 feet. Mr. Kendall, after escaping through a car window, went back and rescued a friend and assisted in putting out the fires before realizing how badly he was injured. The prospect now is that he will recover. Five persons were killed by the wreck. Mr. Kendall's daughter, in writing an account of the accident, states that they have recently had three severe shocks of earthquake at San Ber nardino by which their house was badly shaken and several brick buildings in the vicinity thrown down. Perhaps the inhabitants of the frozen North in this zero weather have somewhat of compensation for their lack of winter sun and flowers in in their lack of earthquakes and alligators after all.

WILMINGTON.

Prof. S. L. Howe has returned to his me at Stamford, N. Y. L. P. Stone, who was in town last week, is very enthusiastic about having a grand reunion next year similar to the one held

in 1890. Walter S. Brown and Miss Lula C. Faulkner were united in marriage by Rev. W. A. Estabrook on Dec. 23 at the Congregational parsonage. Mr. and Mrs. Brown made a short wedding trip and returned the latter part of last week. A reception was held at their residence School street on Tuesday evening of this week and about 75 were present. Refresh-ments were served and the evening was passed in pleasant social intercourse.

merous presents were made and all wish Mr. and Mrs. Brown much happiness. Mrs. Carrie J. Moore, widow of the late Albert Moore, died in this village on Dec. 29 from acute Bright's disease. She was born in Shelburne Falls, Mass., April 14, 1846, daughter of Zepheniah and Mary Richmond. She was married to Mr. Moore March 6, 1867, and has since lived in this town nearly all of the time. She leaves two daughters to mourn her loss-Mrs Hollis Stetson of Jacksonville and Miss Mabel Grace Moore. Mrs. Moore was an estimable woman and many friends will mourn her loss. While not a member of any church, she was deeply interested in such matters and always assisted in every way possible. The funeral was held from the Baptist church bn Sunday last, Rev. W. A. Estabrook attending, Rev. Mr. Rood not being able to be present. Interment at West

FELCHVILLE.

A house at Hammondsville, occupied by a Mr. Edwards and family, was discovered to be enveloped in flames on Saturday night. The inmates, consisting of Mr. and Mrs. Edwards and two children, one an infant only a few weeks old, escaped in their night clothes. The house, which was totally destroyed, was owned by Mrs. Stock-well of Avon, Mass. The cause of the fire was supposed to have been a defective

chimney.

Elner Watkins, the village postmaster and one of the firm of Watkins Brothers, dealers in dry goods and groceries, passed away very suddenly on Thursday, Dec. 28, after a brief illness. He was an active member of the lodge of Odd Fellows in Felchville and nearly 100 Odd Fellows from Windsor, Woodstock, Proctorsville and Felchville attended the funeral on Sunday to pay their last respects to their friend and comrade. Mr. Watkins was born in this town only 28 years ago and much sympathy is felt for his mother, brothers, sisters and wife in this sudden

Andrew Carnegie has given \$300,000 to Cooper Union, which, with \$200,000 con-tributed by the Cooper family, will be the foundation of a great polytechnic school.

A complete re-organization of the mili-tary department in Cuba is expected this month. It is probable that there will be a heavy reduction in the commands, and the gene als in charge of departments will be reduced from four to two.



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